



PLANT SECURITY IS YOUR SECURITY

Security And Safety Daily Checks Urged

Now is the time to make a security—and safety—checkup.

This emphatic statement recently was issued by Robert T. Stevens, Secretary of the Army, for the Industrial Security Division, Office of Domestic Security Programs. Secretary Stevens' statement is recommended reading for all Y-12ers. It follows in part:

"Although an efficient security system might be in force in your department, it is only as effective as you make it. The record shows that security violations are due mainly to the carelessness and forgetfulness of individuals, rather than to the failure of the security system itself. For that reason, it is a good idea to make a security inventory from time to time just to be sure that poor security practices have not become everyday habits.

Few Suggestions Offered

"Here are a few suggestions for making your checkup:

"Check your equipment. Whether you are working on a machine or a drawing board; whether your equipment is a typewriter or a diesel engine; check your equipment regularly—and make sure it is in working order.

"Check your locks and safety devices. An insecure lock or a broken safety mechanism is worse than none at all. Security and safety measures break down when locks and safety equipment are not functioning properly.

"Check the area in which you work. Check the area for spots where unauthorized entry would be easy; check for material and equipment or papers which would be of value to a prowler; check for fire hazards—a fire caused by carelessness can be just as destructive and as costly as one set by a saboteur.

Check Of Self Urged

"Check yourself. Are you familiar with the security regulations or do you just 'think' you are? Do you have good security and safety habits or are you careless and indifferent and feel that 'they are for the other fellow?' Don't be suspicious of your fellow workers or try to be a counter-spy, but be sure not to discuss your business with strangers or allow loiterers in your working area. Classified information should not be made available to anyone until they have been properly identified and you are sure they have a right to the information.

"Yes, this is a fine time for a checkup—today and every day. There is nothing like the old check and double check to be sure its secure."

Safety Awards Distribution Expected Soon

5,165 In Y-12 Plant Eligible To Receive Handsome Articles

The 5,165 Y-12ers and other Carbide employees in the Y-12 Plant Area eligible to receive the handsome individual safety awards for having helped establish the Company record-breaking 3,126,787 hours of accident-free operations in the plant last year will get them within a short time, it was announced by the Safety Department last week. The department late last week was busily tabulating the selection cards turned in for the awards and expected to place orders for the chosen articles early this week. Every effort will be made to expedite shipment of the articles and their distribution throughout the plant.

Period Sets Company Record

That 3,126,787-hour safety period established between July 30 and November 20, inclusive, was the ninth period of more than 1,500,000 accident-free hours of operation established in Y-12 since 1947 when Carbide took over operations here. It also was a record for the entire Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company organization.

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HERE ARE THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS of the Y-12 Employees Credit Union. Front row, from left, are Morris J. Fortenberry, president; Mrs. Lorena Causey, treasurer; and A. M. Schrader. In the rear are A. J. Fisher, secretary; Allen True, vice president; Fred M. Henry, assistant treasurer; and J. P. Snodgrass.

Carbide Camera Club Plans Slide Contest, Dark Room Instruction For All Members

Announcement of the program for the February meeting of the Carbide Camera Club to be held next Tuesday night, February 9, and plans for a series of supervised dark room sessions for club members was made last week. The club's meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the club headquarters in the Y-12 East Portal Building with the program featuring a color slide contest with entries being on any subject and a talk on strobe lighting.

Club members are asked to have their entries for the slide contest in the hands of A. A. Palko, club president, in Bldg. 9733-1 in the Y-12 Plant Area or at his home, 104 Princeton Ave., not later than Friday, February 5.

Experienced Instructors Planned

President Palko last week announced the dark room sessions to assist any club member desiring to learn the fundamentals of de-
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New Hospital Plan Policies Are Distributed

Increased Benefits Pointed Out; Close Reading Is Urged

New certificates or policies for the more than 4,000 Y-12ers enrolled in the Carbide Hospitalization and Surgical Plan are being distributed this week through divisional channels. The new certificates point out the increased benefits that will accrue to any Y-12ers who might have to take advantage of the coverage, the new benefits having been adopted when the last contract was signed between Carbide and the Connecticut General Life Insurance Co., the insurers.

Hospital Fees Boosted

One of the increased benefits is the boost from \$70 to \$100 of the hospital fees coverages. This coverage is for each period of continuous confinement for such items as surgical room, anesthesia, laboratory procedures, X-Ray examinations, drugs and ambulance. The coverage of \$7 per day for hospital bed and board up to a maximum of \$490 for any one period of continuous confinement remains unchanged.

The surgical fee allowance in the coverage also is increased from \$175 to \$200 and a new schedule of rates approved by the Tennessee State Medical Association is published on Page Seven of the Carbide booklet on the Hospitalization and Surgical Plan.

A third increase in benefits is in emergency first aid benefits for dependents where the maximum has been raised from \$70 to \$100.

Should Destroy Old Certificates

In order to avoid any confusion on provisions of the complete coverage offered Y-12ers, all employees are urged to immediately read their new certificates to be thoroughly informed of the benefits offered. After this is done, the old certificates should be destroyed. A thorough reading of the Company booklet on the Hospitalization and Surgical Plan also is suggested.

Under the new contract there is no increase in cost to Y-12ers covered in the plan. Under provisions of the plan the cost for coverage for employees only is \$1.03 per month. The cost for employees enrolling for benefits for family members is \$3.74 per month. These fees are only one-half of the cost of the insurance, the Company paying the other half.

Enrollment Is 96 Per Cent

The Carbide Hospitalization and Surgical Plan has proven popular with Y-12ers, as out of 4,174 employees eligible to participate in
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European Youngster Of 12, Orphaned By Bombs Of World War II, Begins Life Anew As American Boy After Adoption By Y-12 Man

New Father Teaching Lad In Roane School

A new life lies just ahead for Wendell Ronald Bailey—a bright, wide-awake youngster of 12 who is putting behind him an unsettled childhood in Europe to start all over learning to be a real American boy.

This new life for the lad has been brought about by the kindness, generosity and love extended by a Y-12er—a second cousin of the youth who has untangled the skein of tangled official red tape to fully adopt the orphaned boy and bring him from Luxembourg to America.

The Y-12 man is Fred Bailey, of the Stores Department, who is now the youngster's legal father.

Parents Killed In Luxembourg

The first chapter of the story was revealed in The Bulletin on Wednesday, September 9, 1953, when the initial steps taken by Bailey to bring the boy to America and a background of the youngster were described. At that time Ronald was a war orphan—his father and mother having been killed in air bombings of Luxembourg during World War II. Then he was Ronald LeLoutre, who was living with an uncle and other relatives in the little European country.

Bailey made a trip to Europe last August to make preliminary arrangements for adoption of his young cousin, the Y-12er being related to the boy on his mother's
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A TRANSITION IN LIFE FROM A EUROPEAN WAR orphan to an American boy is shown above. At left he is shown as Ronald LeLoutre in a picture taken last year at Luxembourg before his adoption by Fred Bailey, a cousin and a Y-12er shown with him. At right the 12-year-old youth, now named Wendell Ronald Bailey, is standing with his adopted father and teacher in front of the Dogwood School in Roane County where Bailey is principal as well as teacher and where the lad is enrolled. Note the puppy—an object of adoration of any boy anywhere. More pictures on Page Four.



SAFETY SCOREBOARD

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Safety Awards For Y-12 Are Expected Shortly

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hours without a lost time accident is a distinct tribute to the safety habits being developed throughout the entire Y-2 Plant. Supervision in every Division in Y-12 has stressed the importance of these safe working habits, not merely as a means of bettering the statistical record of the plant, but also for the personal well-being and health of every individual employee.

A disabling accident, it is pointed out, not only cripples the earning ability of the victim for an indefinite length of time but also brings a lot of suffering and pain to the person hurt, and, in many instances to his family. No amount of compensation can heal injuries quicker nor erase the worry caused by accidents and their effects.

The eligible employees in Y-12 who will receive the individual safety awards valued at \$5 have been given their choice of 12 articles. These include (1) pen and pencil set, (2) steak knives, (3) travel iron, (4) travel toilet kit, (5) carving set, (6) kitchen clock, (7) canister set, (8) ice crusher, (9) bath room scales, (10) casting rod, (11) card table and (12) Scotch cooler.

New Hospital Policies Being Distributed

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the plan 4,014 are enrolled, representing more than 96 per cent of the eligibles.

Enrollment in the plan may be made on the day of employment, with the coverage becoming effective two months later. No medical examinations are required when enrollment is made immediately upon employment. However, if a Y-12er wishes to enroll more than 30 days after two months of Company Service he must show to the satisfaction of the insurance company and at his own expense that he and his family members are insurable.

Any Y-12er wanting information on any phase of the Hospitalization and Surgical Plan may obtain it from the Y-12 Insurance Office, North Portal, telephone 7382.



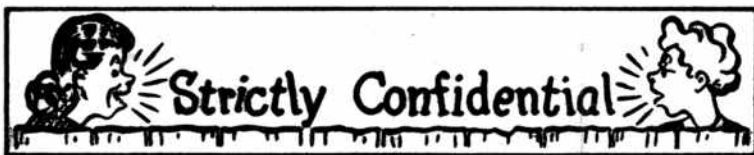
Congratulations were being handed out last week to three Y-12ers who became fathers of babies born recently at the Oak Ridge Hospital. They were—

W. A. McLeod, Alloy Division, boy, January 27.

R. P. Wallace, Maintenance Shops, Girl, January 27.

R. D. Smith, Uranium Control, girl, January 27.

Marriage license—the certificate that gives a woman the right to drive a man.



DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

Another civic honor has been conferred on a Y-12er. Just a few days ago over at Maryville, Al Barrasso, Jr., was proclaimed Key Man Of The Year by Maryville Junior Chamber of Commerce. He is with the ADP Development Department.

The Project Design Development Department welcomes John Perry, John Stricklin and Jean Vaughn to the roster. . . . They are sorry to lose J. O. Blomeke, who was transferred to ORNL.

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS DIVISION

Vacationers from the Guard Department this week are C. H. Slaton and G. Huddleston. . . . H. J. Gregory and C. O. Bell are off for two weeks.

The Health Physics Department wishes a speedy recovery to John Gallimore, who is still ill.

LABORATORY DIVISION

The Uranium Analytical Department congratulates Fred Williams on the recent birth of a baby daughter at the Oak Ridge Hospital. . . . The department welcomes Bill Burns back to work after a recent illness in the Oak Ridge Hospital.

ENGINEERING DIVISION

The Civil and Architectural Engineering Department welcomes E. J. Marcotte and J. E. McClane to the roster. . . . W. M. Hopkins, George Mitchell, Engineering and Maintenance Division; and H. D. Duncan, Planning and Estimating; attended a Plant Maintenance Convention in Chicago, Ill., last week.

The Technical Engineering Department was sorry to lose Wilma Miller, who terminated last week to work in Gatlinburg. . . . The department welcomes Helen Stone.

The Electrical Engineering Department welcomes R. L. Brown and Eugene Dusina to the roster. L. W. Wilson, Mechanical Engineering, spent last week's vacation at home in Oak Ridge.

CHEMICAL DIVISION

Congratulations are extended to R. D. Smith, of Uranium Control, on the birth of a baby daughter January 27, at the Oak Ridge Hospital. . . . The department welcomes Charlie Gillihan to the roster. He transferred from Manufacturing Offices.

The Uranium Processing Department extends congratulations to John Bishop, who is the proud papa of a baby boy born January 26, at the Oak Ridge Hospital.

MANUFACTURING OFFICE DIVISION

The Stores Department extends get-well wishes to D. C. Wolfenbarger's wife, who is ill in the East Tennessee Baptist Hospital in Knoxville. . . . Also get-well wishes go to Ed Webber, who was ill in the Oak Ridge Hospital last week—And to B. B. Thornton, who is still a patient there. . . . The department is sorry to lose Ann McKnight, who terminated last week and plans to live in Florida.

The Timekeeping Department extends get well wishes to Lucille Hatmaker, who was on last week's sick list.

Ben Hope, of Property Sales, is moaning low since his automobile recently was damaged—he says it's a long walk from Oliver Springs. Ben's son, Charles, is home on a 14-day leave from Fort Jackson, S. C. . . . W. A. Nichols

is still having trouble deciding on the right TV set. . . . The department was glad to see Gwenn Lindsey back to work after an illness.

MAINTENANCE DIVISION

The Steam Plant extends wishes for a speedy recovery to J. F. McFarland, who is ill at his home in LaFollette. . . . A welcome back to the fold goes to Roy Balley after an illness which landed him in the Oak Ridge Hospital. . . . The department welcomes Marvin Tapp to the roster.

The Research Services Department extends sympathy to Joe Inman, whose sister, Mrs. Charles Moser of Knoxville, passed away January 26. Funeral services were held in Knoxville last Thursday. . . . J. W. Woody still remains on the sick list but his co-workers are glad to hear he is improving. . . . The department heartily welcomed Bill Mason back to work last week after a short stay in the Oak Ridge Hospital. . . . C. Russell spent last week's vacation with friends in Florida.

Folks in ADP Maintenance extend congratulations to K. C. Fritts, on the birth of an eight-pound 10-ounce baby boy born January 9 in a Harriman hospital—the Fritts named their son Stephan Brent. . . . A welcome goes to J. A. Finley, who is the latest addition to the roster. . . . A speedy recovery wish is extended to F. E. Daniel, who is a patient in the Oak Ridge Hospital—And to F. H. Rascoe, also on last week's sick list. . . . P. G. Perry is on a vacation trip to Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Md., Raleigh, N. C., and points South. . . . T. D. Tucker is vacationing in parts unknown this week. . . . "Fuz" Harris went on a shopping spree over to Sears last Friday evening—we hope he didn't spend all his money!

R. E. Mellon, of Utilities Maintenance, vacationed last week at home in Knoxville.

The Field Maintenance Department extends get-well wishes to the folks on last week's sick list who were K. L. Webber, H. R. Dyer, C. C. Crisp and P. Pelfry. . . . Sympathy is extended to Clayton Nelson and his brother, Carl, whose brother is missing in Detroit, Mich., when he and a friend went on a fishing trip on the Detroit River in a 28-foot cruiser. . . . W. H. Haun has returned from a week of vacation.

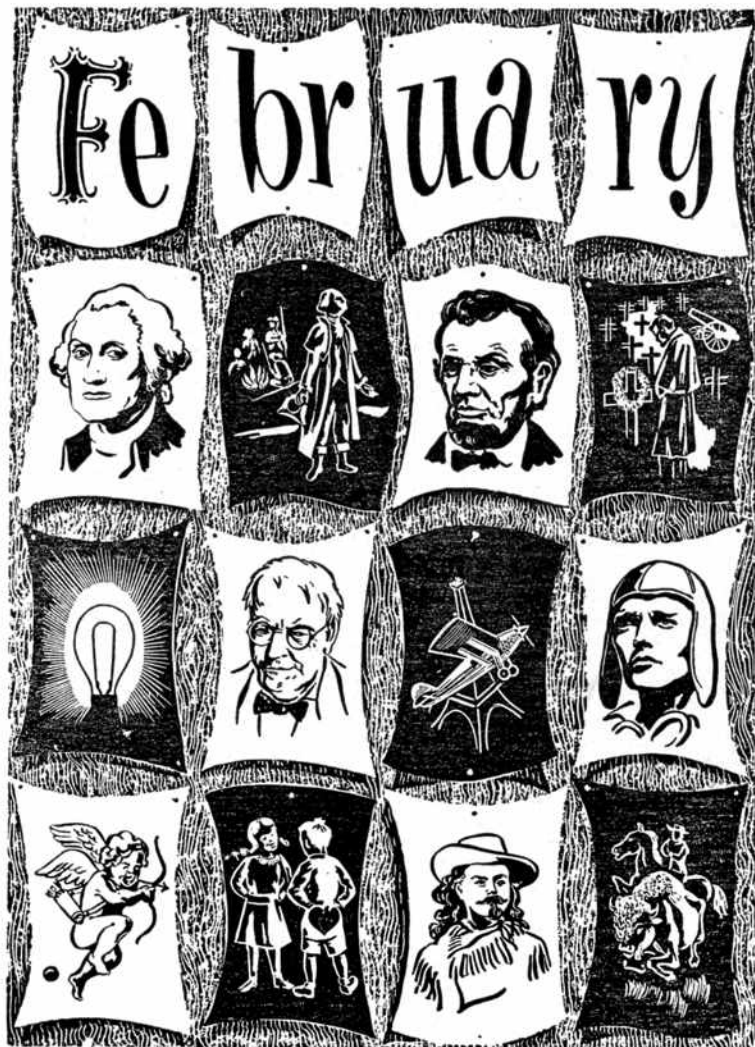
Two-week vacationers from the Buildings and Grounds Department are N. Barton, R. L. Jones and J. R. Harris.

Congratulations are in order for R. P. Wallace, of Maintenance Shops, at the birth of an eight-pound 13-ounce baby daughter born January 27, at the Oak Ridge Hospital—Congratulations are also extended to the proud grandpa, H. J. Ratjen, of the Superintendents Department. . . . A speedy recovery wish goes to the folks on the sick list—P. W. Bullard, J. O. Shoopman and J. P. Dillard. . . . Get-well wishes are extended to F. N. Yodzukinas' wife, who is ill. . . . Jim Thorpe is busy these days breaking ground for a new home over near Clinton.

Evan Means, Electrical Maintenance, and E. E. Johnson, Planning and Estimating, and their wives planned to attend the Outdoor Sports and Boat Show—and maybe the Automobile Show in St. Louis, Mo., last week end.

PAPER PRAISES COLE

The Buffalo, N. Y., News has editorially praised Rep. Sterling Cole for the sense of urgency he put behind his proposal to immediately spend \$10,000,000 to strengthen United States defenses against the hydrogen bomb. The paper thinks it is time the public is told the truth about the nation's defense needs.



February Is The Shortest Month Of Year— But Gave The Nation Many Notable Men

Of course, George Washington and Abraham Lincoln are the two outstanding Americans whose birthdays are observed in February. However, they are not alone in the February "hall of fame" of prominent persons born in this—the shortest month of the year.

Horace Greeley, founder of the New York Tribune and one of the world's outstanding newsmen of all times, was born February 3, 1811. To him is credited the advice "Go West, young man."

Charles Augustus Lindbergh, the first man to make a solo airplane flight across the Atlantic Ocean, was born February 4, 1902. In his little monoplane, "Spirit of St. Louis," he hopped off from Mineola, L.I., May 20, 1927, and landed in Paris the next day.

Thomas Alva Edison, the inventor, was born February 11, 1847. He is noted especially for his invention of the incandescent electric lamp, the phonograph and the motion picture camera. However, he took out more than 1,000 patents on his various inventions, which ranged from electric pens that developed into the mimeograph machine, to an especial incandescent lamp globe that was the forerunner of the radio and television tube.

Christopher Latham Sholes, another inventor, was born February 14, 1819. He has been called the "father of the typewriter" because he was the first inventor to follow the idea of such a writing machine through to commercial success.

Wendell Willkie, candidate for the Presidency of the United States on the Republican ticket in 1940, was born February 18, 1892. He also was author of the book "One World" and was one of the leading personalities in the utilities business of the country.

William Frederick Cody, the "Buffalo Bill" of interest to all youngsters of his generation, frontiersman, scout and showman, was born February 26, 1846.

COSMIC RAY BOMB SEEN

The North American Newspaper Alliance quotes Dr. Tokuyasu Shikanai, foremost Japanese authority on nuclear research, as being convinced that a new type of bomb which the Russians are said to be developing is really a cosmic ray bomb, many times more powerful than a hydrogen bomb.



The following Y-12 employees were patients last week in the Oak Ridge Hospital: James P. Dillard and Perry W. Bullard, Maintenance Shops; Ed Webber and Barton B. Thornton, Stores; Roman Kristich and Harley L. Allison, Uranium Processing; Fred E. Daniel and Joseph J. Cavaise, ADP Maintenance; Bonnie Roberts, Assay Laboratory; Lelia Leslie and J. B. Kendricks, Laundry; J. B. Wheeler, Chemical; Roy E. Balley, Steam Plant; Charles W. Mason, Research Services; and Charles Walker, Janitors.

Camera Club Reveals Program, Instruction

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veloping, printing and enlarging. This service, open to any new or old member of the club, gives instruction to participants who will learn by doing under supervision of an experienced dark room operator. Subjects to be covered include developing of film, contact printing and developing and enlarging and developing. Types of film, papers and developers will be discussed and the relative merits of each pointed out by the instructors.

President Invites Inquiries

All Y-12 present and prospective members of the Carbide Camera Club are invited by President Palko to communicate with him at Bldg. 9733-1, telephone 7313, if interested in the proposed instruction.

The club is composed of Carbide employees from the Y-12 and K-25 Plants and the Oak Ridge National Laboratory. Dues are \$2 annually.

TEAM EVENTS TO OPEN Y-12 BOWLING TOURNEY

Plant Pin Party Will Start At Grove Alleys On Saturday

Wolves Defending Champs In Men's Division; D. Park, R. Roberts Hold Individual Crowns

The ninth annual Y-12 Plant Bowling Tournament will get started this Saturday, February 6, at the Oak Terrace alleys with team events slated to see action first. The tourney will continue Sunday and will be finished the following Sunday, February 14. The tournament will offer competition in team events, doubles, singles and mixed doubles with both men and women participating.

A total of 21 teams made up of 18 men's and three women's outfits have entered the tournament. In doubles, 34 pairs will compete for honors. A total of 61 Y-12ers will roll for individual honors and 24 will be rolling for mixed doubles honors in 12 pairs.

The men's teams entered are the Hot Wires, Strikers, Tigers, Wasps, Peons, Orphans, Bumpers, All Stars, Hornets, Rusty Five, Cant Hooks, Has Beens, Wolves, Rippers, Rebels, Cubs, Glass Arms and Uranium Control Junior Varsity.

The women's representatives will include the Rockets, Comets and Alley Cats. These teams are made up of Y-12 women who bowl in the Mixed League.

The complete tournament schedule was prepared by the Recreation Office last week and will be distributed at all plant league sessions this week. Bowlers also may obtain their scheduled appearances and assigned alleys at the Recreation Office, North Portal, telephone 7753.

Teams and mixed doubles will be rolled on the opening day. Doubles and singles will be rolled Sunday and the following week-end will be used for any cleanup necessary.

The Wolves are the defending men's team in the plant and will be out to capture the coveted title again this year. Roy Roberts was the Y-12 Plant Champion Bowler last year and Dot Park took the women's crown.

All tournament bowlers are urged to report and be ready to bowl 15 minutes ahead of the scheduled time. Tardiness will result in a forfeiture.

Prize money distribution to the tournament winners will be posted at the Oak Terrace alleys after the event is completed. In addition to cash prizes there will be 42 trophies awarded to the top scoring teams and individuals.

Hot Wires Lead In C Pin League

The Hot Wires took over undisputed possession of first place in the C League last week by winning two tallies from the hard fighting Rusty Five. The Rusty Five keggers are first half of the season champs of the loop. Other circuit action saw the Hooks whitewash Uranium Control Junior Varsity and the Hornets sting the Cant Hooks for three tallies while the Screw Balls and Glass Arms split their four points.

E. B. Galloway, of the Hooks, blasted the pins for a 199 scratch game and a 637 handicap series. Frank Zupan, Screw Balls, rolled a 576 scratch series and White, of the Hot Wires, tallied a 230 handicap game. Team honors last week went to the Rusty Five men as they racked up a 810 scratch game, a 2332 scratch series and a 2830 handicap series. The Hot Wires got into the act again with a 1001 handicap game.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Hot Wires	17	3
Cant Hooks	16	4
Rusty Five	14	6
Hornets	13	7
Hooks	9	11
Screw Balls	5	15
UCJV	3	17
Glass Arms	3	17

Y-12 SPORTS

Robins Leading City Circuit

Cardinals Drop Contest To K-25, Win Three

The Y-12 women's varsity basketball team is building itself a fine reputation in roundball circles of Oak Ridge and East Tennessee after posting two close wins last week at the expense of K-25, 39 to 36, and Vestal 36 to 34.

The win over the K-25 K-Dettes was especially pleasing to Manager Bill Stanton's Robins as the win enabled the Y-12 women to take over first place in the Oak Ridge City League with four wins and only one loss. The one loss was to K-25 earlier in the season.

Robin Defense Was Tight

The win over K-25 last week was entirely a team effort with the Y-12 women playing better defensive ball than at any time this season. Lois Secrist, fine Robin guard, played perhaps her best game of the season, taking more than her share of the rebounds and hawking the ball all during the tussle. The Y-12 women jumped to a nine-point lead at the outset of the game but the lead dwindled and at the end of the third quarter the score was 27 to 25 with Y-12 leading. The fourth quarter was entertaining to the spectators as both teams were bearing down to the fullest and when the final gun sounded the Robins came out on top by a three-point margin. Ruby O'Kain again was the scoring ace for Y-12, getting 16 points, followed by Helen Brown with 12 counters and Sue Strange eight.

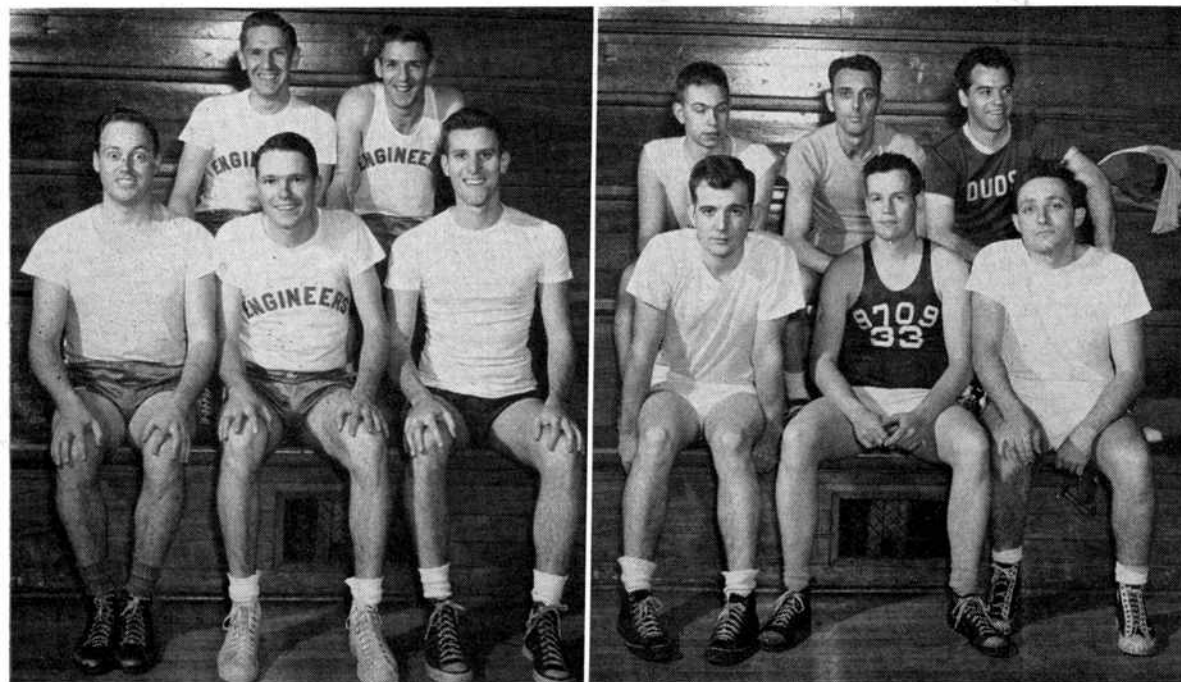
In the game with Vestal last week the Robins topped the out of town lassies 36 to 34 in a squeaker. Ruby O'Kain again led the scoring for Y-12 with 12 tallies followed by Nell McGinnis with eight markers.

Cards Break Losing Streak

The Cardinals finally broke their losing streak last week with a fine victory in the Knoxville Metro League over Local No. 90, C.I.O. by 53 to 41. Manager Carl Sanders and mates played an outstanding game against the C.I.O. team, jumping to an eight-point lead at the end of the first quarter. Charley Kirkwood, sharp-shooting Y-12 forward, had one of his better nights, meshing 18 points and playing a good floor game. Co-Capt. Fred Hardin burned 15 points through the hoops. All the Y-12 lads including Ralph Langsjoen, Walter Lovell, James Seivers, Louis Fitzgerald, Sewell Brown and Bill Helton, turned in creditable performances.

In another Cardinal game last week the K-25 Blues nipped the Y-12ers 51 to 48 in a close game all the way. The Y-12 men were leading at the end of three quarters 42 to 35 but blew the lead in the last quarter and went under. Louis Fitzgerald, Lovell and Kirkwood each had 11 points to pace the Y-12ers. Snow led K-25 with 28 markers.

Three More Wins Posted
The Y-12 cagers made a clean sweep of three week-end games. Continued from Page 3



TWO FINE TEAMS IN THE Y-12 PLANT BASKETBALL LEAGUE ARE SHOWN ABOVE. Left photo is the Engineers, front row, from left, Manager Walter (Popeye) Simmons, George Howard and Jim Cook. Back row from left, Howard Phillips and Hobey Thomas. The Duds are pictured right, front row from left, Frank Winstead, Warren Tyree and Herbert White. Back row from left, Herbert Krog, Leroy Nabors and W. C. Collins.

Engineers Give Maintenance Battle In Y-12 Plant Basketball Circuit

The first half of the Y-12 Plant Basketball League season ended last week with two of the best games so far this season. Maintenance kept its unbeaten string intact with a thrilling 37 to 35 win over the Engineers, while ADP racked up the Duds 41 to 23 in a well played game.

The Engineers gave Maintenance a good scare as the game was close throughout the 32 minutes of playing time. Maintenance pulled ahead 17 to 16 at halftime but the Engineers took up the slack and moved out in front 31 to 30 with three minutes left. During the last three minutes action was fast and furious with the Maintenance lads leading by a two-point margin as the contest ended. R. E. Justice, Maintenance forward, played probably his best game of the season by meshing 10 points and playing an outstanding floor game. Ray Malcolm also turned in 10 tallies for the winners and John Sewell had seven.

In the other plant league game played last week ADP played perhaps its best game of the season in defeating the Duds 41 to 23. The ADP lads were passing the basketball well and their shooting was accurate all the way. Collen Shotts, ADP forward, looked good in sacking up 12 markers and keeping up the old hustle throughout the game. Pat King got nine tallies for the winners. Leroy Nabors, tall center for the Duds, poured 12 points through the hoops and also came through with a big share of rebounds.

The schedule for next week follows:

Monday, February 8 — 6 p.m., ADP vs Duds. 7:15 p.m., Maintenance vs Sparks. 8:30 p.m., Aces vs Engineers.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Maintenance	6	0
Engineers	3	3
ADP	3	3
Duds	1	5

All D Loop Teams Win By Whitewash

Last week was known as "shut-out week" in the D League as all teams triumphed via the whitewash route. The Peons were victors over the Rollers, Orphans over the Sooners and Unknowns over the Vectors. Clyde Smith, of the Orphans, rolled a 212 scratch game, boosted to 241 with handicap and went on for a 545 scratch series, all marks being high for the second half of the season. Andy Anderson, Peons, also scored a high mark for the second half, a 639 handicap series. All previous team marks for the second half were broken last week as the Orphans rolled a 833 scratch game and a 2474 scratch series while the Peons had a 1017 handicap single and a 2984 handicap series.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Peons	8	0
Orphans	6	2
Vectors	4	4
Unknowns	4	4
Rollers	2	6
Sooners	0	8

Varsity Pinsters Sweep City Tilt

The Y-12 men's varsity bowling team in the Oak Ridge City League swept four points from the American Legion last week at the Oak Terrace alleys. The Y-12ers now have 49 wins and 31 losses and are in fourth place in the league, only 11 points behind the front running Max Friedman pinsters.

Joe Pryson led the Y-12 scoring last week with a 562 series made up of games of 209, 180, 173. Pryson was followed by Jack Spears 172, 174, 193—539; George Schierbaum 183, 168, 172—523; Roy Roberts 140, 179, 145—464 and Ernie Cobble 156, 155, 153—464. Team totals for Y-12 were 860, 856, 835—2552 against 812, 810, 828—2450 for the American Legion.

The Y-12 pinsters were scheduled to roll against the Management Services, Inc., team this week at the Oak Terrace alleys.

Has Beens Hold Top Despite Split Score

Action in the B League was fast and furious last week as the Has Beens held on to first place by splitting four points with the improving Rebels while the second-place Bumpers moved to within one point of the Has Beens by taking three from the Tigers. Three-point wins were posted by the Rippers over the Wasps and by the Wolves over the Strikers. The only whitewash victory of the week was turned in by Bldg. 9211 over the Swingsters. The Cubs and All Stars finished the alley activities by dividing four points.

Walter Sherrod, of the Wasps, had a sizzling night at the alleys as he rolled a 213 scratch game while Tom Hillard, of the All Stars, rolled a 236 handicap game. George Schierbaum, Bumpers, tallied a 570 scratch series and H. E. Alvey, Wasps, and Clouse, of Bldg. 9211, each marked up a 656 handicap series. Team honors went to the Cubs as they posted a 917 scratch game and a 1042 handicap game. The Bumpers got into the act with a 2952 handicap series and a 2562 scratch series.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Has Beens	23	9
Bumpers	22	10
All Stars	20 1/2	11 1/2
Cubs	19	13
Rebels	18	14
Rippers	16 1/2	15 1/2
Tigers	15	17
Wolves	14	18
Wasps	13	19
Bldg. 9211	12	20
Swingsters	10	22
Strikers	9	23

Varsity Women Blank City foe

The Y-12 women's varsity bowling team turned in an impressive whitewash victory over Ricker Heating Co. last week in the Oak Ridge City League to move out in front of the pack by an eight-point margin. The Y-12 women had game totals of 814, 732, 782—2328 against 662, 693, 663—2018 for Ricker Heating.

Ruby O'Kain led the scoring for Y-12 with 198, 186, 155—539; followed by Juanita Reed 188, 152, 139—479; Mavis Koons 158, 131, 186—475; Betty Whitehorn 130, 129, 180—439 and Dot Park 140, 134, 122—396.

The Y-12 keglerettes are scheduled to roll against the Oak Ridge National Laboratory lassies this week at the Oak Terrace alleys.

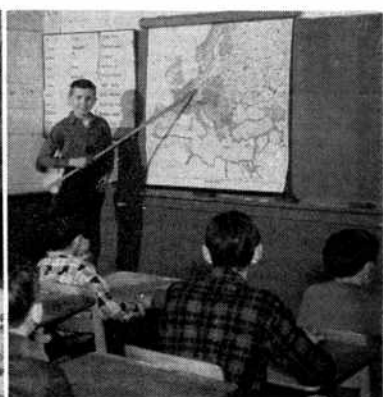
SPANISH RICE, MEAT BALLS ENTREE ON CAFETERIA SPECIAL

An appetizing dish of Spanish rice and meat balls will top the Thursday Special Lunch at the Y-12 Cafeteria tomorrow, Thursday, February 4. In addition to the entree, the Special Lunch will include a vegetable, choice of salad or dessert and rolls and butter. The Special Lunch sells for only 50 cents and is served every Thursday at the Cafeteria.

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HOW RONALD BAILEY HAS ADAPTED HIMSELF TO American life is shown above and at right. At top left, Ronald is in the front chair in the middle row of Dogwood School students while his father, principal and teacher of the one-room school, is on the stage. At right top Ronald is pointing on the map to Luxembourg, his former home, for the benefit of his schoolmates. The lad's interest in basketball is demonstrated, right, to a pair of Y-12 women varsity basketball players, Ruby O'Kain, left, and Sue Strange. In the schoolroom picture Bailey's arm is in a sling as a result of a recent shoulder injury.

European Youngster, Orphaned In World War, Begins Life Anew After Adoption By Y-12er

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side of the family. The matter first had to be worked out by the European relatives and Bailey, who had the approval of his own brothers and sisters in this country. Then it was taken up by American authorities in Frankfurt, Germany, where final details of the adoption were handled.

Arrived New Year's Day

While these details were being wound up, Bailey returned to the United States and left again on December 19 by air for Germany to assume his new duties of fatherhood. Just a few more days were required for the final approval of authorities there and—appropriately—the new father and son team arrived back home on New Year's Day to begin the new life for Ronald.

Ronald's eyes sparkled at the recollection of the airplane trip to his new land. The Baileys took off from Frankfurt, stopped in London and Gander, Newfoundland, then spanned the Atlantic for an eventful landing in New York. Sure, it was a thrill for any 12-year-old—particularly as he was beginning an entirely new chapter in life.

Father Is Principal And Teacher

Ronald is beginning his quest to the answers of the many problems facing any new American in what in his case probably are ad-

vantageous circumstances. He is enrolled in a small Roane County school where his father is both principal and lone teacher during morning hours before coming to work on the 3 p.m. to 11 p.m. shift in Y-12.

The little, one-room rural school is Dogwood School, far back in the Roane County countryside. It has an even dozen pupils, including Ronald. So far Ronald has fitted into his new scholastic surroundings like a duck taking to water—and has been given a warm welcome by his new schoolmates.

No Favoritism Is Shown

When The Bulletin photographer arrived to make the pictures accompanying this story all of the youngsters naturally were excited by this departure from the school routine. So some "shushing" was necessary by Principal-Teacher Bailey—and young Ronald was not spared when admonitions were handed out.

Ronald's new father explained that the lad is about on the American fourth grade level in English speaking, reading and writing—but is rapidly advancing. In other studies he is on a par with any other youngster of his age in the school. The Dogwood School, incidentally, has four grades—the Second, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth—and the 12 pupils come from four neighboring families, five including the Baileys.

Likes To Play Basketball

Ronald, naturally, is not yet too well acquainted with American sports but there is one game at which he may become proficient. In Germany he watched American soldiers play basketball and picked up considerable knowledge and some skill at the sport. Since coming here the youngster has been introduced to several Y-12ers and has been taken to an Oak Ridge basketball game, where he avidly took in the business at hand and showed every evidence of becoming a staunch Y-12 fan. Those who watched him said he had quite a knack for handling the round ball.

Fred Bailey is a native of Terre Haute, Ind., and came to Tennessee at the age of 14 when his family settled in Cumberland County. After completing his high school education in that county he attended the University of Tennessee School of Education and later taught in Cumberland County. He came to work in Y-12 April 18, 1951, after an Army hitch in World War II, 26 months of which were spent in Europe with an intelligence reconnaissance group of the Eighth Infantry Division. It was while on this stay in Europe that he first met and became interested in young Ronald.

Named For Wendell Willkie

As a native Hoosier, Bailey frequently returned to his home state even after coming to Tennessee and over a period of years he became a close friend of Wendell

Willkie, one of Indiana's most illustrious citizens who once was a candidate for President of the United States on the Republican ticket. Bailey met the elder Willkie through the latter's son, Phillip, with whom Bailey attended school. In his admiration for Willkie, Bailey conferred his first name on the adopted youngster. However, the lad is to be called Ronald. Bailey and the boy are living with an aunt of the Y-12er in Knoxville, from where they drive daily to the school and thence to Oak Ridge in the afternoon, from where the boy is taken to his new home.

Future Is Bright

So—the picture ahead is bright for the boy. A perfectly normal and healthy youngster of 12 with flashing gray eyes and light brown hair he bids fair to rapidly become a typical American boy. Although much of his childhood was spent in an atmosphere of confusion because of the continual unrest prevailing abroad, he is naturally intelligent and observing and when his time for taking on the responsibilities of United States citizenship arrives in a few years—he should be able to assume them with a real dignity and purpose.

10 Years Service

Congratulations to the following Y-12 employees who will complete 10 years of Company service within the next few days—

Carl M. Neal, Field Maintenance, February 4.

Charles R. Kasperek, ADP Maintenance, February 7.

Madison G. Cook, Alloy Division, February 7.

Samuel R. Cowden, Buildings and Grounds, February 7.

Richard E. Dew, Maintenance Shops, February 7.

Wiley J. Grigsby, Maintenance Shops, February 8.

Woodrow C. Munsey, Electrical Maintenance, February 8.

Birdie M. Fitzgerald, Time-keeping, February 8.

Kyle T. Woolwine, Engineering and Maintenance Division, February 8.

Frank A. Gragg, Uranium Processing, February 10.

Jesse L. Hamon, Stores, February 10.

Florence S. Archer, Product Processing, February 10.

John H. Tate, Laundry, February 10.

Mildred R. Sparks, Product Processing, February 10.

Robins Leading City Circuit

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The red and white outfits trimmed Harriman in a double header, the Robins edging out a 33 to 32 victory while the Cards took an easy 58 to 39 decision. The Robins have been making a habit of coping close ones, winning their last three by the total margin of six points. O'Kain got 14 points and Brown nine for the winners. The Cards again broke out of their last-quarter blues against Harriman, leading all the way as Fitzgerald and Kirkwood shared scoring honors with 14 each. A peculiarity of the Harriman games was that players on the losing side were high scorers, Miss Graves getting 18 for the Harriman lassies and Grace tallying 18 for the men.

The Cards kept their winning ways alive Saturday night at Sun-bright by taking a 49 to 41 triumph. Kirkwood got 15 points and Hardin 14 for the winners.

In addition to a pair of out-of-town games this week, the Robins and Cardinals resume league play this week in the Knox Metro and Oak Ridge loops.

The Cardinals are scheduled to face the Sunbright Independents on Saturday, February 6 at 8 p.m., at the Oak Ridge High School gymnasium while the Robins have a tentative engagement lined up with Knoxville Business College on the same night at the high school gymnasium at 7 p.m.

Line scores of games last week follow:

Robins	13	19	27	39
K-25	4	22	25	36
Robins	7	16	30	36
Vestal	10	17	25	34
Cardinals	15	26	42	48
K-25	16	23	35	51
Cardinals	16	31	42	53
C.I.O. No. 90	8	10	29	41
Robins	9	20	27	33
Harriman	10	17	26	32
Cardinals	7	24	38	58
Harriman	8	12	26	39
Cardinals	18	32	39	49
Sunbright	8	18	31	41

Girls Club To Meet Monday; Valentine Dance Party Set

The Y-12 Girls Club will hold an important business meeting at 7:15 o'clock next Monday night, February 8, in the second-floor lounge of Batavia Hall. All members of the organization and Y-12 women employees desiring to join the group are invited to attend the meeting.

The Girls Club will hold a Valentine Dance on Friday night, February 12, at the Jefferson Recreation Hall.

Rides Wanted, Offered

Ride Wanted — From Lenoir City, straight day. W. O. Peterson, plant telephone 7351.

Two Riders Wanted — From Bearden section to East Portal, straight day. Jim Smith, plant telephone 7054, home telephone 8-2407, Knoxville.

Attendance Record

MAJOR LEAGUE
More Than 50 Employees Scheduled

Dept.	Percentage Absent	1-24-54	1-17-54
2077	1.3	1	2
2690	1.42	2	3
2026	1.42	2	11
2142	1.5	4	4
2005	2.07	5	5
2008	2.10	6	1
2003	2.11	7	8
2619	2.2	8	10
2091	2.38	9	6
2108	2.44	10	13
2015	2.5	11	14
2002	2.7	12	18
2617	2.9	13	7
2014	3.2	14	17
2001	4.1	15	9
2060	4.3	16	15
2618	4.78	17	12
2018	4.80	18	16
2257	6.1	19	19

MINOR LEAGUE
15-49 Employees Scheduled

Dept.	Percentage Absent	1-24-54	1-17-54
2107	0.0	1	1
2231	0.0	1	1
2216	0.4	3	1
2145	0.5	4	1
2090	0.76	5	7
2093	0.81	6	1
2046	0.9	7	10
2260	1.05	8	11
2025	1.14	9	1
2094	1.52	10	13
2139	1.28	11	10
2200	1.4	12	12
2096	2.9	13	20
2140	3.3	14	8
2301	4.0	15	14
2230	4.3	16	15
2743	5.0	17	17
2143	5.1	18	9
2144	6.7	19	17
2252	7.0	20	16
2303	8.0	21	21

The plant average for the week ending January 24 was 2.7 per cent, .2 per cent lower than the preceding week.

ASME Area Will Hear Talk On Pressure Vessel Design

An address on multi-layer pressure vessel design will feature the meeting of the Oak Ridge Area of the East Tennessee Section of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers on Thursday night, February 11. The meeting will be held in the Starlight Room of the Oak Terrace with a dinner session starting at 6:30 p.m. and the business meeting following at 8 p.m. Y-12ers and employees of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory desiring reservations are asked to telephone W. R. Gall, 7677, before February 10.

The speaker will be T. McLean Jasper, of the A. O. Smith, Co., Milwaukee, Wis. He is a consultant engineer for this and several British firms and is a specialist in the fields of metal fatigue, pressure vessel collapse problems, welding and testing of metals at high temperatures.

Bureau Of Standards Man Will Address ACS Meeting

Dr. W. J. Youden, of the United States Bureau of Standards, will speak at the next meeting of the East Tennessee Section of the American Chemical Society on Wednesday night, February 17, in Oak Ridge. The meeting will be held at the Ridge Recreation Hall, beginning at 8 p.m.

Dr. Youden's subject will be "Design of Experiments" and his address is expected to be of great interest to the many Y-12 members of the section who are urged to attend the session.

Cards Tie Wheels For Mixed Top

The hustling Cards whitewashed the Pin Balls last week in the Mixed League to move into a tie for first place with the Wheels. who dropped three big points to the improving Ponies. The Rams evened their slate at six wins and six losses by winning three markers from the sliding Spotters. The Wheels are first half of the season champs in the Mixed Loop and are going all out to defend their title during the remainder of the season.

Ruby O'Kain, of the Cards, had a good night at the alleys as she rolled a 179 scratch game, boosted to 212 with handicap, going on to a 434 scratch series, increased to 495 with handicap. Gib Hatmaker, of the Cards, also blasted the maples for a 189 scratch game, a 216 handicap game, a 531 scratch series and a 612 handicap series. The Ponies had one of their better nights at the alleys by rolling a 776 handicap game, a 1712 scratch series, boosted to 2282 with handicap. The Cards got into the act with a 589 scratch game.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Wheels	8	4
Cards	8	4
Ponies	7	5
Rams	6	6
Papis	5	3
Pin Balls	4	8
Hubs	4	4
Spotters	2	10